

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT**

Cathy A. Harris, in her personal
capacity and in her official capacity as
Member of the Merit Systems
Protection Board,

Appellee,

v.

Scott Bessent, in his official capacity as
Secretary of the Treasury, et al.,

Appellants.

Case No. 25-5037

NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE *AMICUS* BRIEF

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